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FOLLOWING MS SENT ACTION JAKARTA JUNE 25, 1973, NOW PASSED FOR YOUR INFO:

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E. O. 11652: N/ A TAGS: EAGR, ID

SUBJECT: RICE PROCUREMENT PROGRAM

REF: SURABAYA 252

FOLLOWING FOR EMBASSY REVIEW AND ONWARD TRANSMISSION TO MEDAN AND SECSTATE.

- 1. EAST JAVA GOVERNOR MOHAMED NOER JUNE 25 TOLD CONSUL THAT HE STILL EXPECTED TO MAKE RICE PROCURMENT TARGET OF 400,000 TONS BY END OF JULY. HE SAID THERE WAS CRITICISM FROM POLITICIANS AND VESTED INTERESTS
 OF PROCURMENT PROGRAM BUT IT NECESSARY TO "CLOSE YOUR EAST" AND KEEP
- 2. NOER NOTED WITH INDIGNATION THAT GOI CONTRACTING TO BUY RICE FROM LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

YOUR EYES ON MAIN AIM WHICH IS TO HAVE SUFFICIENT FOOD FOR PEOPLE.

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THAILAND AT US \$ 320 RPT 320 PER TON. SAID THIS WOULD MEAN GOVERNMENT WUCH ALREADY SUBSIDIZING PRODUCERS WOULD HAVE TO SUBSIDIZE CONSUMERS AS WELL. DEVELOPMENT MONEY SHOULD GO FOR DAMS AND FERTILIZER PLANTS RATHER THAN INFO "STOMACHES". GOI SHOULD IMPORT OTHER FOOD GRAINS. THIS "SHOCK TREATMENT" FOR INDONESIANS WAS REALISTIC AND NECESSARY GIVEN LONG TERM FOOD GRAIN OUTLOOK. HE SAID HE HAD TRIED TO MAKE THIS CASE STRONGLY IN JAKARTA BUT DID NOT SEEM TO THINK IT HAD DONE ANY GOOD.

RANDOLPH

UNQUOTE: GALBRAITH

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